

# SC Annual School Report Card Summary

North Myrtle Beach Intermediate School  
 Horry  
 Grades: 4-5 Enrollment: 656  
 Principal: Melissa W. Graham  
 Superintendent: Dr. Cynthia Elsberry  
 Board Chair: Joe DeFeo

## PERFORMANCE

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YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD		ESEA/FEDERAL ACCOUNTABILITY RATING SYSTEM	
			General Performance	Closing the Gap	ESEA Grade	Accountability Indicator
2013	Excellent	Average	TBD	TBD	A	N/A
2012	Good	Good	Silver	Gold	A	N/A
2011	Excellent	Excellent	Gold	Silver	Not Met	N/A

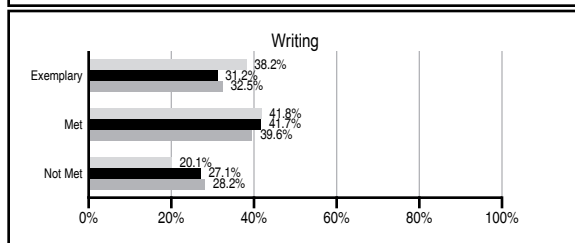
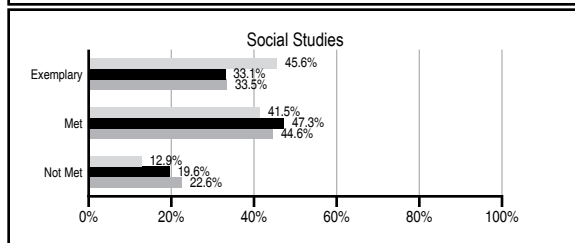
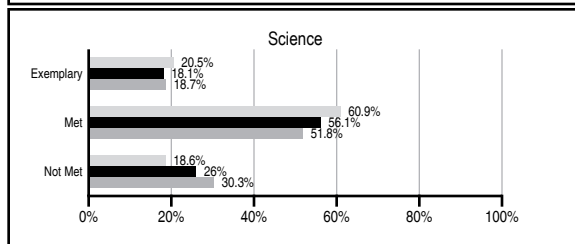
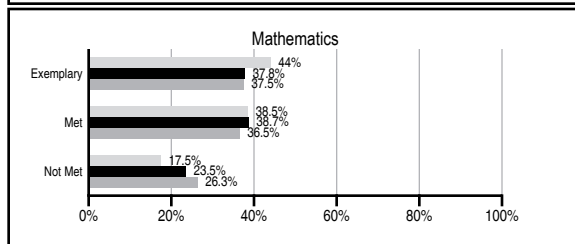
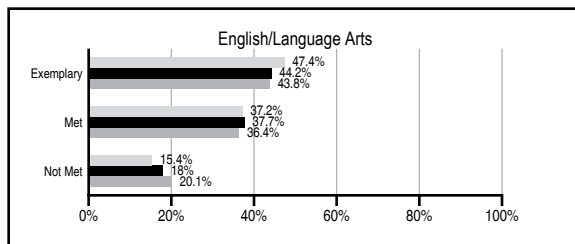
## ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS\*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
21	48	51	0	0

\* Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/07/2013. Schools with Students Like Ours are Elementary Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

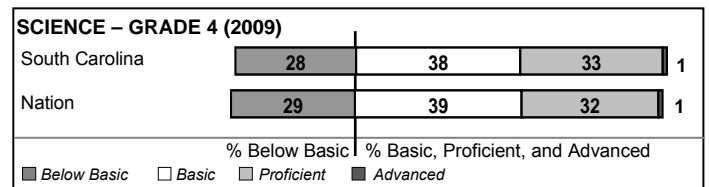
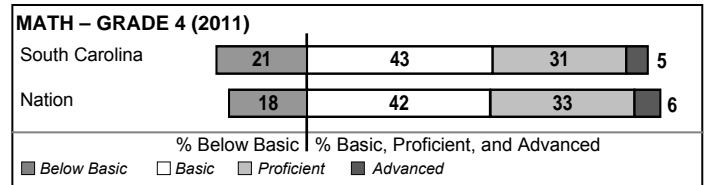
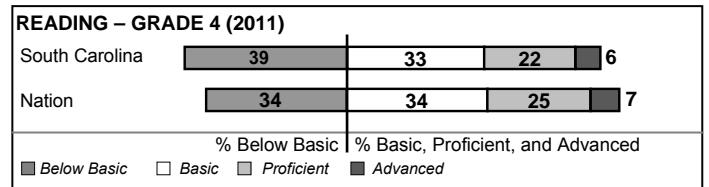
## PASS PERFORMANCE

Our School Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours Elementary schools statewide



## NAEP PERFORMANCE\*

\* Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level. Percentages at NAEP Achievement Levels.



## SC PERFORMANCE VISION

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

### Abbreviations Key

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# North Myrtle Beach Intermediate School [Horry]

## SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Elementary School
<b>Students (n=656)</b>				
Retention rate	0.0%	Down from 0.1%	1.2%	0.9%
Attendance rate	96.1%	Down from 96.2%	96.2%	96.3%
Served by gifted and talented program	22.0%	N/A	7.8%	7.2%
With disabilities	12.3%	N/A	13.7%	12.4%
Older than usual for grade	3.2%	N/A	2.3%	1.9%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.3%	Down from 2.0%	0.0%	0.0%
<b>Teachers (n=36)</b>				
Teachers with advanced degrees	38.9%	Down from 41.0%	61.9%	62.5%
Continuing contract teachers	86.1%	Up from 79.5%	85.7%	83.3%
Teachers returning from previous year	91.7%	Down from 92.7%	89.3%	88.3%
Teacher attendance rate	95.5%	Down from 95.9%	94.8%	95.0%
Average teacher salary*	\$51,559	Up 2.5%	\$48,785	\$48,193
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
Professional development days/teacher	15.2 days	Down from 18.6 days	11.1 days	11.0 days
<b>School</b>				
Principal's years at school	2.0	Up from 1.0	5.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	22.0 to 1	Up from 19.6 to 1	20.1 to 1	20.1 to 1
Prime instructional time	90.3%	Down from 90.5%	89.8%	90.0%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No Change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	100.0%	Up from 91.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Character development program	Excellent	No Change	Excellent	Excellent
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$7,723	Up 7.0%	\$7,201	\$7,364
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	60.0%	Down from 65.2%	68.0%	68.0%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	58.0%	Down from 59.2%	65.0%	66.0%
ESEA composite index score	90.4	Down from 93.8	88.5	88.0

\* Length of contract = 185+ days.

\*\* Prior year audited financial data available.

## EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	25	288	149
Percent satisfied with learning environment	92%	89.2%	88.6%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	96%	90.3%	87.6%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	92%	90.6%	87%

\*Only students at the highest elementary school grade level at this school and their parents were included.

## REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

The 2012-2013 school year was another successful year for North Myrtle Beach Intermediate School. Our school was awarded a Gold award from the South Carolina Department of Education for our overall school performance on PASS. We were also given the Silver award for closing the achievement gaps for our subgroup students. Many of our students exceeded the performance goals set forth by Horry County Schools. Celebrations were held to recognize the students' achievements in academics, attendance and character development.

Our teachers and support staff were also successful. We continued to make progress towards our performance goals included in our strategic plan. Our staff participated in professional development focusing on instructional strategies to improve student achievement in reading and mathematics. A computer assessment program was again utilized to help improve instruction and measure student progress. Teachers collaborated as grade levels and across grade levels to plan standards-based instruction. Many teachers participated in graduate coursework to advance their degrees. Kristin Atkinson was selected as Teacher of the Year for our school.

The hard work and dedication of our parents and volunteers, as well as our outstanding community support, enhanced the mission of the school. Proceeds from our annual school fundraiser were used to purchase many items, include two I-pad labs. A record number of volunteers worked to support our instructional programs.

During the 2013-2014 school year, we will work with our parents, community members and the School Improvement Council to provide opportunities for our students to excel academically and participate in extracurricular activities. We look forward to another great year as we continue to meet the needs of all children.

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Cindy Thompson, School Improvement Council

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